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Ranganathittu ravaged

Forest officials, ornithologists inspect bird sanctuary; to suggest remedial measures

Heavy discharge of Cauvery river water from the Krishna Raja Sagar Dam has brought untold misery to the winged beauties at the Ranganathittu Bird Sanctuary near Srirangapatna.

Pillars erected along the river banks washed ashore.

Mysuru, Aug. 7 (MTY&BCT)- Extensive damage has been caused to the world-famous Ranganathittu Bird Sanctuary near Srirangapatna by the heavy water release from the Krishna Raja Sagar (KRS) Dam. The crest gates are regularly being opened since the second week of July as the capacity of the dam has reached its brim following heavy rain in Kodagu.

The Ranganathittu Bird Sanctuary is one of the most popular tourist spots in the State and is rated as among the best in the country. The bird sanctuary, spread over 34 islands, attracts thousands of migratory birds (more than 200 species), including the rarest of the rare birds every year.

On an average, over 60,000 to 75,000 cusecs of water was being released from the dam on a day-to-day basis and this turbulence has submerged the bird-populated islands of Ranganathittu. The islands were submerged between July 14 and 30.

Hundreds of birds, hatchlings, nests and other shelter places have been washed away. The islands were covered with gushing waters and entry of tourists was banned with boating activities suspended.

(See RAVAGED on page 9)

Displaced florists to occupy vacant market behind Chandramouleshwara Temple

Mysuru, Aug.7 (RK&NNN)- The displaced florists on Valmiki Road have at last found a safe, secure and clean place to sell bouquets and other floral arrangements. The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) has found a suitable place behind Chandramouleshwaraswamy Temple in Jayalakshmipuram where the market place was lying vacant for a long time.

It has approach roads from all sides and as one drives down St.Joseph's College on Temple Road, close to the Mathru Mandali Circle, one has to take a left turn or the other approach road that is at the entrance of Kalidasa Road where one has to take a left turn and immediate left to enter the market.

The market behind Chandramouleshwara Temple in Jayalakshmipuram where the florists will shift.

(See FLORISTS on page 9)

STAR PUNCH By Satish Acharya

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Mysuru, Tuesday 7th August 2018

Fiscal security, physical wellness

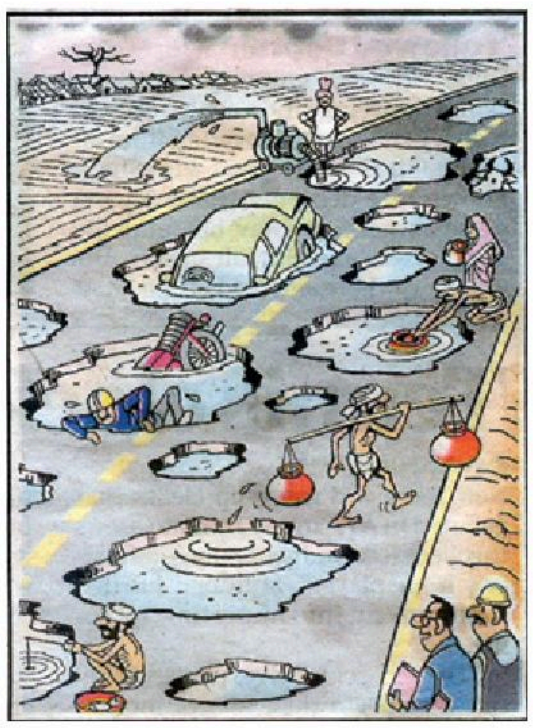
Old people used to be considered as *oldies* in days gone by until not too long ago, not without a hint of derogatory sense attached to them and the now-not-much-in-use term. They are referred to as *senior citizens* nowadays with whatever sense of respectability that their new image in society has been bestowed. In any case, the glamour side to the new dispensation generously adopted to describe the oldies ends where it begins, given their *plight* in our times at which the younger generation would not relish even winking at it. Sandwiched between the two — the oldies and the youth — are the middle-aged flock, looking back with some pride and looking ahead with dim vision about what awaits them as they are heading for their closing chapter of life. Taking 40 years as the mark of youth entering middle age, experience has led to the inference that life *begins* at 40 but *starts showing*. That is also the last point of halt in time to bestow attention on fiscal security in old age and physical wellness as age advances further.

The land's philosophers of a distant past including the three *Acharyas* (Shankara, Ramanuja and Madhwa) and the 12th century social reformer Basavanna are known to have laid the ground rules of life taking one through the years without any glitches. Scholarly speakers of our times take fascination to elucidate the diktats of ancient leading lights of the land, but there doesn't seem to be many takers, particularly the youth.

In the context of life's journey accompanied by a change of outlook from materialism to spirituality, seeking liberation from the cycle of birth and death, a story attached to the composition *Bhaja Govindam* by the eighth century savant Adi Shankara is narrated. While walking along a street in Varanasi, accompanied by his disciples, he came across an aged scholar reciting the rules of Sanskrit grammar repeatedly. Taking pity on him, Adi Shankara went up to the scholar and advised him not to waste his time on grammar at his age but to turn his mind to God in worship and adoration which would save him from the vicious cycle of birth and death. One may not be faulted to *imagine* that the legendary philosopher would have added a postscript to his prescription, to be imbibed by all middle-aged sections in society to plan in advance for facing the contingencies of old age namely, enough cash and taking care not to fall ill.

The foregoing narrative, essentially zeroing in on the all-too-familiar current scenario of sons pushing their aging parents to old-age homes, is to be taken as a wake-up call for all not to regret in old age for neglecting fiscal security and physical wellness.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE



Don't repair... Ideal for water harvesting

[Courtesy: Bangalore Mirror]

NEWS SPARKLERS

Pigeon-shaped shoes to get close to real pigeons

Tokyo: A DIY master from Tokyo in Japan, has turned a pair of cheap high-heel shoes into realistic-looking pigeons to see if they would allow her to get closer to the real birds in a local park without them flying away.

47-year old Keiko Ohata started by designing the shows on a piece of paper, and when she was happy with the result, she purchased a pair of high heel shoes for under 2,000 yen ($18), In order to make use of the shoes natural shape to best imitate the look of pigeons, the birds' heads had to be facing backwards, while their feathery tails went in front. But while the birds didn't seem to impressed with Keiko Ohata's shoes, street artists working in the park, as well as passers-by started approaching her and asking about her unusual footwear.

Instead of pigeons flocking to her, she had to make due with a crowd of fellow humans.

Museum of old mobile phones

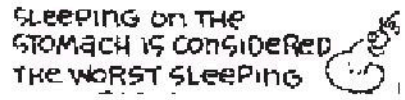
Dobsina: 26-year old Stefan Polgari, from the small Slovakian town of Dobsina, has a collection of over 3,500 of them, made up of 1,231 different models. He has always been kind of a tech-head, and at 15-years-old, he started doing online reviews of new mobile phones.

Before long, he had already amassed a small collection of Nokia, Alcatel, Sagem, Ericsson and other brands that were available in Slovakia at the time. But it was two years ago that Stefan's collection really took off, after he bought someone's collection of 1,000 old phones for a few thousands of euros. Today he is the proud owner of 3,500 "ancient" mobile phones, about half of which still work.

From the legendary Nokia 3310, to the brick-like keyboard devices and early touchscreen phones, his massive collection shows how far technology has come in a relatively short period of time.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

What is the best position to sleep in?



The best sleep positions are the left and the right side. Sleep positions can even affect your health. Sleeping on the right side can worsen heartburn symptoms. Sleeping on the left side can put pressure on the liver, lungs and stomach. It's best to switch sides throughout the course of the night.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Special Documentary and Lecture tomorrow

'At the Altar of India's Freedom - INA Veterans of Malaysia'

Mysuru, Aug.7-The Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) in association with National Cadet Corps (NCC), Maharaja's College, University of Mysore, is organising a Special Documentary and Lecture on the topic *'At the Altar of India's Freedom — INA Veterans of Malaysia'* by Choodie Shivaram, Senior Journalist and Researcher from Bengaluru, at Junior B.A. Hall of the College, on Aug. 8 (Wednesday) at 11.30 am.

Major General S. G. Vombatkere (Retd.) will the chief guest. Prof. C. P. Sunitha, Principal, Maharaja's College, will preside.

The documentary captures the stories of valour, sacrifice and the saga of Malaysian INA veterans who, as teenagers, fought for India's freedom from the distant lands of Southeast Asia. Many of them had never even seen India. The film documents a significant part of Indian history, hitherto unknown, that is the role of Malaysian Indians in India's freedom struggle.

The documentary is produced by the Indian High Commission at Malaysia. The Concept, Script, Research and Direction is by journalist Choodie Shivaram, who has based the film on her extensive research on INA, Netaji and Southeast Asia's role in the Second World War.

In this first-of-its-kind documentary, INA veterans recall in-depth their war experiences, the training and the impact that Netaji Subash Chandra Bose had on their lives. Young men and women hastened to support Netaji, leaving behind their homes, families, and lives of comfort. The remarkable young women of the INA formed the 'Rani of Jhansi Regiment' which was the first all-woman combat regiment in the world.

Choodie Shivaram is a senior freelance journalist and researcher with over three decades of experience spanning print, radio, television and digital media. Writing for both National and International publications, her articles have been used by Universities abroad as study material. She has earlier scripted several documentary films including one for UNICEF as also on the oceanographic excavations at Dwarka and Poompuhar for the National Institute of Oceanography. A regular researcher at the National Archives of India, Choodie Shivaram has authored a book which is due for release this year.

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VOICE OF THE READER

Train journey: Some thoughts

Sir,

Apropos the news item titled ***"Elderly city lady sedated, robbed in train"*** (*Star of Mysore* dated Aug. 4), it is quite necessary that the Railway authorities should take care to safeguard the passengers in the reserved compartments, especially during the night journey.

While I travelled recently from Mysuru to Bhubaneswar in the a/c compartment, by Howrah Express, the TTE who appeared after some time to check the tickets, was not seen thereafter.

The doors of the compartment were open and many persons used to enter and get down after knowing that it was a reserved one.

If the doors are closed and the TTE is present with the reservation chart such persons can't enter and passengers are safe.

Hope the Railway authorities will look into the discipline of the TTE. He alone can help the passengers. If necessary he can take the help of Railway Police.

—Dr. H.S.R. Rao
on email
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5.8.2018

Corrections and Clarifications

The Lord and the Legends

The temple. *Raja Wadiyar statue in the cell.* *Raja Wadiyar's image.*

Inscription on the beam.

In the article titled ***"Mysuru, a look at its past... The Lord and the Legends"*** by Gouri Satya, Sr.Journalist, highlighting some interesting features of Lakshmiramanaswamy Temple in Mysore Palace premises, published in *SOM* dated Aug.5 on page-6, there were some errors in the photo captions. The correct captions are published below the pictures produced above. The error is regretted. **—Ed**

Inter-collegiate competitions for PU students

Mysuru, Aug.7- Vijaya Vittala Composite PU College, Saraswathipuram, has organised city-level inter-collegiate Bhavageetha and General Knowledge quiz competitions for PU students on Aug. 18 from 9.30 am.

Two students from each college may participate in both contests. Those interested may register their names before Aug.16 at the college office (Ph: 0821-4243700), according to a press release from Principal H. Satyaprasad.

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Chief Secretary on AIR

Bengaluru, Aug.7- AIR, Bengaluru, will broadcast a live phone-in with T.M. Vijay Bhaskar, the Chief Secretary of Karnataka, in all its State-wide 13 centres and FM Rainbow 'Kannada Kamanabillu' tomorrow (Aug.8) from 7.45 pm to 8.30 pm. He will answer listeners' questions on 'Karnataka - Development.' Public may call Ph: 080-22370477 / 88 / 99.

Shikha now transferred as BESCom MD

C. Shikha

Bengaluru, Aug.7-The State Government on Monday transferred 18 IAS officers including Pre-University Director C. Shikha, who has been posted as Managing Director of BESCom (Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited).

It may be recalled that Shikha had served as the Deputy Commissioner of Mysuru District for three-and-a-half years. M. Kanaga Valli is now posted in place of Shikha as Director, Department of PU Education.

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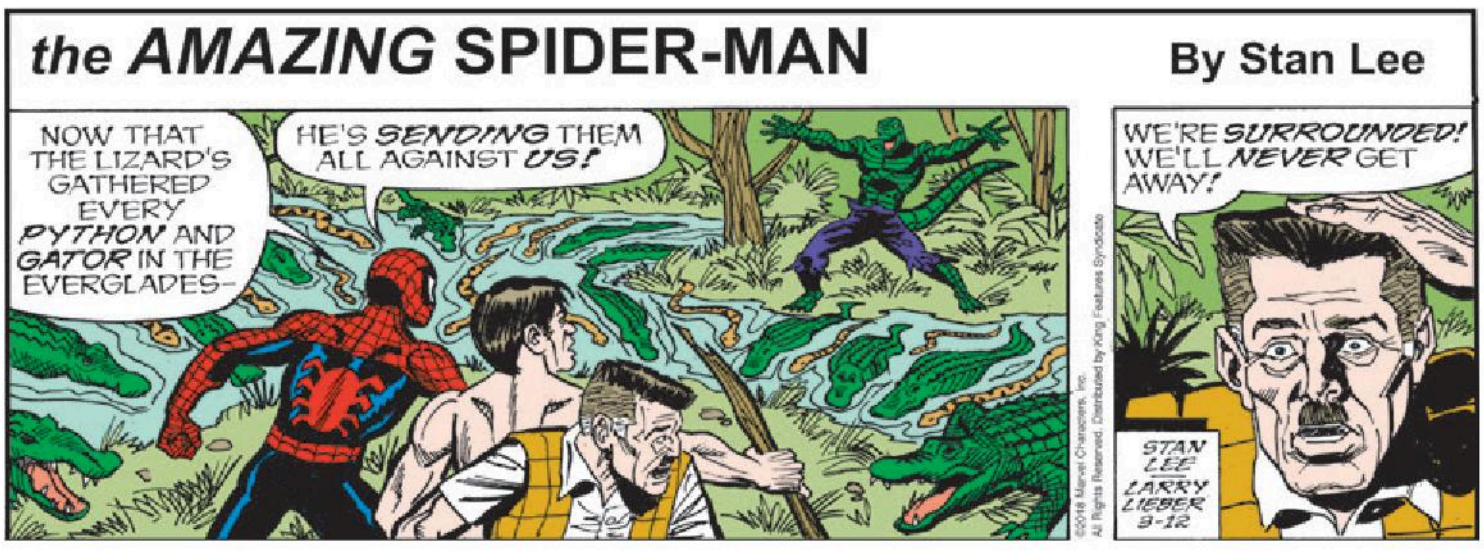
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NEWS BRIEFS

Quit India Day on Aug.9

The Mysuru City and District Freedom Fighters Association will be celebrating Quit India Movement Day at Freedom Fighters Park in Subbarayanakere at 9 am on Aug.9. For details, Mob: 94484-68639 or 81977-28239

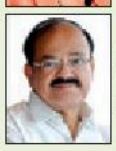
LLM, M.Arch. courses

University of Mysore (UoM) has announced the calendar of events for entrance exam and admission to LLM. and M.Arch. courses for the academic year 2018-19. For details visit http://www.uni-mysore.ac.in, according to a press.

French singing contest tomorrow

Phoenix International Academy, KRS Road, in collaboration with Indian Association of Teachers of French, is conducting District-level French singing contest tomorrow (Aug.8) at the school premises at 10 am. The contest is open for French students in the age group of 12 years to 20 years. For details contact Mob: 81973-65876.

Venkaiah Naidu coming to Suttur



The 103rd Jayanti Mahotsava of Jagadguru Dr. Sri Shivarathri Rajendra Mahaswamiji will be held at Suttur Srikshetra in Nanjangud on Aug.28. M. Venkaiah Naidu, Vice-President of India, will inaugurate the Jayanti Mahotsava. Seers, Governors, Chief Minsters, former Chief Ministers, Legislators, MPs and other Minsters will attend.

KRS Water Level

(Maximum : 124.80 feet)

Today	123.79 ft
Yesterday	123.75 ft
Inflow	5,493 cusecs
Outflow	4,657 cusecs
Last year on this date	92.00 ft

Kabini Level

(Maximum : 2,284.00 feet)

Today	2,282.14 ft
Inflow	7,000 cusecs
Outflow	5,000 cusecs

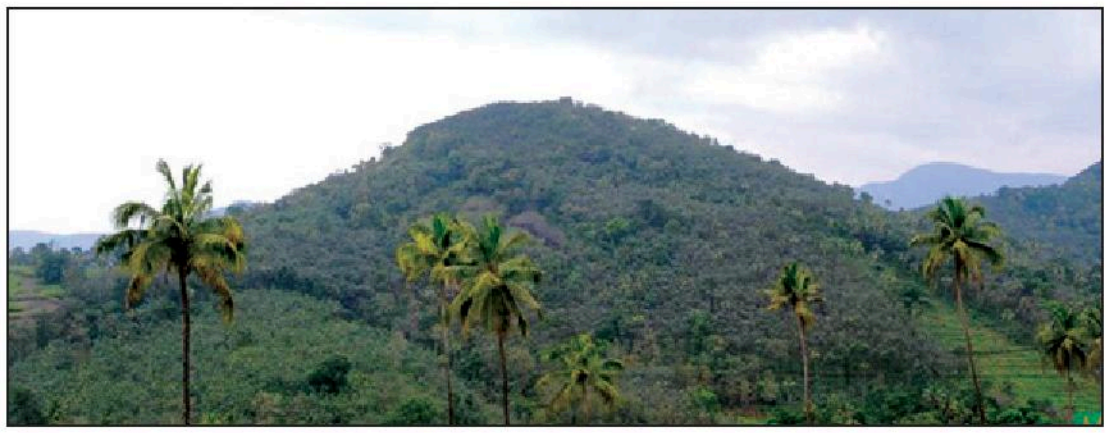
Harangi Level

(Maximum : 2,859.00 feet)

Today	2,858.09 ft
Inflow	5,083 cusecs
Outflow	2,867 cusecs

Eco Sensitive Zone in Western Ghats

State yet to submit report to Centre



Bengaluru, Aug.7- With just 19 days left for Karnataka to submit its revised recommendations on the demarcation of the Eco-Sensitive Zone (ESZ) in the Western Ghats in the State, Dakshina Kannada BJP MP Nalin Kumar Kateel has said that if Karnataka fails to respond by August 25 — the deadline fixed by the Centre — the demarcation recommended by the Kasturirangan Committee would be deemed as final.

Kateel said that the delay is likely to have an impact on hundreds of villages that come under the purview of the ESZ in the Western Ghats section in Karnataka. As per the draft notification, based on the report of Kasturirangan Committee, 20,668 sqkm in Karnataka would come under ESZ, which includes 1,576 villages in eight districts of Karnataka including Kodagu district.

In Kodagu district, 102 sqkm of Pushpagiri Ranges, 105 sqkm of Talacauvery Range and 181 sqkm of Brahmagiri Ranges come under the ESZ. Some of the prominent villages that come under the ESZ in Kodagu are Bhagamandala, Karike, Tannimani, Cherangala, Sanna Pulikotu, Ayyangeri, Galibeedu, Kaloor, Hammiyala, Soorlabbi, Hachchinadu, Balugodu, Bhakthanahalli, Kumarahalli, Peggala, Badaga, Rudraguppe, Nangala, Kuttandi, Badagarakeri, Parakatageri, Theralu, T. Shettigeri, Kurchi, Kumatoor, Manchalli and Kutta.

At a meeting to discuss the Ecologically Sensitive Areas (ESA) of the Western Ghats held under the Chairmanship of A.K. Mehta, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, on April 11 this year, the representative from Karnataka said that a Committee would be constituted after the Assembly Elections to look at the concerns of the State Government for developing a coherent approach in declaring the ESA of Western Ghats region.

Karnataka has argued that under different provisions of Reserve Forest, Protected Areas and ESZs, the State Government is already regulating about 22,000 sqkm of area in the Western Ghats region and as such, another layer of protection in the form of ESA may not be needed.

It is, however, not clear if the Committee has been formed by the State Government. The neighbouring Kerala Government submitted to the Centre its revised recommendations on the subject in June. The Centre had sought the views of Karnataka, Kerala, Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat and Tamil Nadu.

The six States that share the range are trying to bring down the area under the proposed ESAs in the Western Ghats ranges. Once the ESZ is declared, restrictions would be imposed on human activity and development projects in villages in the forest periphery.

MLA Bopaiah reacts

Speaking to *Star of Mysore* this morning, Virajpet MLA K.G. Bopaiah said that the final notification has been done and there is still two years for it to come into effect. "In Kodagu district, there are four wildlife zones that will come under the Eco-Sensitive Zone — Nagarahole, Talacauvery, Brahmagiri and Pushpagiri wildlife — and the Kasturirangan Committee had recommended that 10 km area around the zones must be declared as Eco-Sensitive Zone. Later due to stiff opposition, it was reduced to one kilometre and not the entire villages," he said. He said that the elected representatives in Kodagu and other places that come under Western Ghats have demanded the Centre to reduce the existing one kilometre radius to zero kilometres.

"Also, the State Government must constitute a Committee under the Regional Commissioner to study the areas and identify the places that will come under Eco-Sensitive Zones. This Committee, however, is not formed yet," he added.

Sorry state of Freedom Fighters Park

MLA Nagendra sees red

Mysuru, Aug.7 (RK&NNN)- MLA L. Nagendra was so upset with the sorry state of affairs in the Freedom Fighters Park in Subbarayanakere Grounds on Chamaraja Double Road that he took the officials to task for the complete neglect they have shown to the Park.

The MLA, who continued his padayatra in his constituency yesterday, was greeted with filth, mounds of garbage, waste and plastic lying all around the Park. Also upset with the absence of Horticulture Department Officials, he immediately instructed the Zonal officer to replace the weak compound and clean the whole place.

He also directed the officials to get the blocked drains cleaned, stop the flow of sewage water into homes and replace old electric poles with new ones.

Nagendra was unhappy with the quality of the tarring of roads and the poor quality of deck work and suggested to the officials to ask the contractors to re-do the works.

Responding to the complaints by the residents of Narayana Shastry Road near Sri Raghavendraswamy Mutt regarding the haphazard parking of vehicles, he asked the officials to post a Traffic Police in the area.

He said that Rs.55 lakh had been released for the development of Freedom Fighters Park, Rs.16.50 lakh for the concreting of a few select conservancy roads, Rs.20 lakh for renovation of footpath on D. Subbaiah Road and added that the works will commence shortly.

MCC Zonal Assistant Commissioner Veena, Health Officer Dr. D.G. Nagaraj, UGD Assistant Executive Engineer Shivennegowda, Development Officer Nagaraj and others were present.

Siddu took nature therapy
to recover from poll debacle: Prasad

Nanjangud, Aug. 7 (RS&BCT)- The 71st birthday celebration of former Minister V. Sreenivasa Prasad at Vidyavardhaka Grounds in Nanjangud yesterday turned out to be a platform to blow the poll bugle seeking to make Narendra Modi Prime Minister for the second term. It was also a platform for Prasad to ridicule former Chief Minister Siddharamaiah for losing the Chamundeshwari Constituency that he has claimed as his own.

"The people of Karnataka in general and Chamundeshwari in particular have delivered such a blow to Siddharamaiah as he had to go for Nature Therapy in Dharmasthala to recover from the shock. Now Siddharamaiah should tell people what happened to his ego that he nurtured when he was in power," he lashed out.

"You have lost Chamundeshwari by a huge margin of 37,000 votes and BJP has been benevolent to your son Dr. Yathindra as he won Varuna effortlessly. You must always remember that Yathindra won not because of your popularity but due to BJP that has awarded the seat to your son like one gives gifts in a wedding ceremony," Prasad said.

Laced with sarcasm and words full of criticism, Prasad questioned the former CM where was his ego and prestige now. "You have displayed immense arrogance that lacked moral courage and your body language and gestures showed your attitude. Wherever you went, you said that you will be the next CM. What happened to all this," Prasad questioned.

Criticising the Congress for extending Siddharamaiah a red carpet welcome to the Congress Working Committee, he said the fact that Siddharamaiah, who lost the Assembly election entering into Congress' top-most body "shows the fate of the party".

V. Sreenivasa Prasad

"Siddharamaiah's poor governance has reduced the strength of Congress MLAs to 79 seats. Siddharamaiah, who claimed that he will be the CM for the next five years, has bowed in front of (Chief Minister) H.D. Kumaraswamy," he added.

Prasad said the Congress, with 44 members in the 543-member Lok Sabha is not keen to contest more than 150 seats. Calling Chamarajanagar MP R. Dhruvanarayan as an opportunist, he said the people should defeat the Congress in the Lok Sabha election. "Social service and honesty will further strengthen the political prospects of those in public life," he added.

Nanjangud BJP MLA Harshavardhan said Dhruvanarayan backstabbed Prasad and "created hatred among the leaders for his political survival." Saying his victory is victory of the people of Nanjangud, he said he will dedicate full time for the welfare and development of the people of his constituency.

BJP State President B.S. Yeddyurappa called upon people to stand behind PM Modi and reject the "unholy alliance and immoral JD(S)-Congress alliance". The BJP with 104 seats is in the opposition whereas the JD(S) and Congress, nowhere near to the BJP in the tally, had an "unholy alliance" in the State.

Saying that the coalition government, headed by Kumaraswamy, has not taken off even after three months, he said the farming community is in trouble as neither their loans have been waived off nor given fresh loans.

Former Minister B. Sriramulu said the people of the country, including the poor, should vote for Modi for his "clean and pro-poor governance." Hailing Modi for giving Cabinet approval to include Parivara and Talwara communities in the ST list, he said the time has come for Nayaka community to reward the PM.

Youth goes missing from city

Mysuru, Aug. 7 (KS)- K.A. Harshavardhan, son of J. Ashvathappa and a resident of Rajarajeshwari Nagar in city, who left his house on Aug. 4 at about 11.30 am saying that he was going to the college, has since gone missing.

Harshavardhan

Harshavardhan is 22-years-old, 5.8 ft. tall, oily red complexioned, speaks Kannada and English and was wearing a blue and red colour checked shirt and blue jeans when he left home.

Those having information about the missing person, may contact Saraswathipuram Police on Ph: 0821-2418123 or Police Control Room on Ph: 2418339.

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Start with how to make a rifle

Point of VIEW

T.J.S. George

We pay a price when we let other countries set our pace. One day Donald Trump includes India in the list of those "who are robbing America" and threatens to levy high taxes on "thousands and thousands" of Indian motorcycles imported into America. This was when India cut duty on the glamorous Harley-Davidson from 75 percent to 50 instead of the 0 percent Trump wanted.

Another day Trump praises India and green-signals the sale of unmanned aerial combat vehicles to India, a deal that was previously denied. These missile-firing drones have a sea variant reputed to be effective in coastal defence. No doubt, they can be decisive in beating back attacks such as the 26/11 terror strike in Mumbai.

Is India expected to cringe when Trump threatens it, and feel elated when Trump flatters it? Our concern should be not that this is a man the world mistrusts because of his unpredictable mood shifts; our concern should be the assumptions that are taken for granted, seemingly by all, in US-India dealings.

The American turn-around on the sale of hitech weapons such as the drone is a case in point. This looked like a systemic shift rather than a Trumpian twinkle. Nevertheless, India needs to be cautious for at least three reasons. First, America now recognises India as a full partner in its defence strategies and considers this as an "upgradation" of India. Secondly, Delhi sought a favourable nod from Washington before moving to buy an anti-missile defence system from Russia. Both these factors are linked to the third: Washington's eagerness to block China's growth as a world power.

Barack Obama's America had formally accepted India as a "major defence partner." But the partnership gained muscle only when Trump moved India into America's tier-I list of countries to which sensitive weapon systems could be exported without special licences. Trump has repeatedly stressed India's importance in what he calls the Indo-Pacific region. This recognition led to Washington waiving its sanctions provisions and thereby enabling India to buy Russia's Rs. 39,000-crore air defence missile system.

What does all this really mean from India's standpoint? It is easier to see what it means to America: It opens a big market for American weapons and gets a major regional power to be involved with American defence policies in the region. There could well be a section of Indians who see it as a sign of progress when *(a)* America upgrades Delhi to tier-I for military sales and *(b)* permits Delhi to buy Russian weapons. Other sections may see it as demeaning when *(a)* India is expected to feel good about upgradation for purposes of buying American weapons and *(b)* sanction-scared Delhi seeks American permission to buy Russian weapons.

Both schools will have to see as unacceptable the extent to which India is dependent on other countries for its essential defence needs. The proud exhibit on our weapons front is the Brahmos missile. But 65 percent of it consists of imported components. INS Vikramaditya, the pride of the Indian navy, was formerly a Russian vessel mothballed because of age. Arihant, our first "indigenously built" nuclear submarine, took in extensive help from Russia. HAL, a competent public sector company, has received discouragement from successive governments. Its Tejas aircraft has been waiting for decades to get operational clearance. Its plans over Rafale jet fighters fell flat when the project was taken out of its hands and given to Anil Ambani's company. Last year an Indian-made rifle was rejected by the Indian army. Even bullet-proof jackets made in India are unpopular with our defence personnel. Despite a long history of defence research, proud achievements in rocket science and slogans like *Make In India,* India remains the world's largest arms importer.

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When America recognises as a "major defence partner" a country that cannot produce even a rifle, it is clear that it sees India as a profitable market for its pricey weapons. In the process, India loses opportunities to develop foreign policy, especially China policy, for India's benefit as distinct from the benefits of "Indo-Pacific."

China is currently producing weaponry so sophisticated that the US has started to worry. India need not have been left so far behind. The achievements of its space programme and of its scientists in Silicon Valley point to the talent available to India. But the Defence Ministry is manned by IAS generalists while the country is at the mercy of parties and politicians who put their interests above the nation's. How can one get more than what one deserves?

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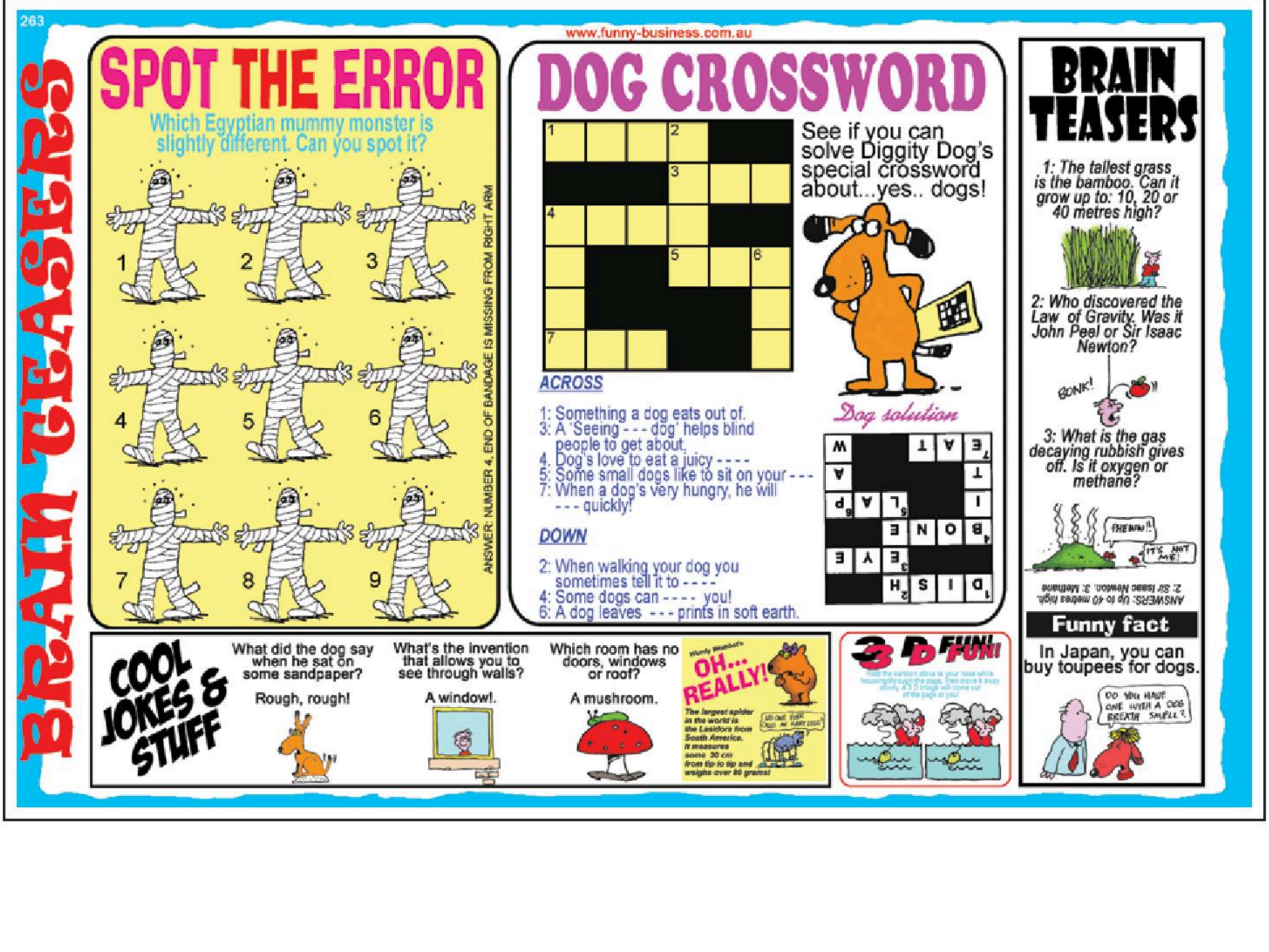
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BRAIN TEASERS
SPOT THE ERROR
Which Egyptian mummy monster is slightly different. Can you spot it?
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3: A 'Seeing - - - dog' helps blind people to get about.
4. Dog's love to eat a juicy - - - -
5: Some small dogs like to sit on your - - -
7: When a dog's very hungry, he will - - - quickly!
DOWN
2: When walking your dog you sometimes tell it to - - - -
4: Some dogs can - - - - you!
6: A dog leaves - - - prints in soft earth.
Dog solution
BRAIN TEASERS
1: The tallest grass is the bamboo. Can it grow up to: 10, 20 or 40 metres high?
2: Who discovered the Law of Gravity. Was it John Peel or Sir Isaac Newton?
BONK!
3: What is the gas decaying rubbish gives off. Is it oxygen or methane?
PHEWW!!
IT'S NOT ME!
ANSWERS: Up to 40 metres high. 2: Sir Isaac Newton. 3: Methane
Funny fact
In Japan, you can buy toupees for dogs.
DO YOU HAVE ONE WITH A DOG BREATH SMELL?
COOL JOKES & STUFF
What did the dog say when he sat on some sandpaper?
Rough, rough!
What's the invention that allows you to see through walls?
A window!.
Which room has no doors, windows or roof?
A mushroom.
OH... REALLY!
The largest spider in the world is the Lasiotra from South America. It measures some 30 cm from tip to tip and weighs over 80 grams!
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Raised median marker reflectors installed on Hunsur Road

Mysuru, Aug.7 (RK&KS)- Raised median marker reflectors have been installed on Hunsur Road from Field Marshal K.M. Cariappa Circle (Metropole Circle) to Hinkal which is being developed by the National Highway Department. Works on installing yellow coloured reflectors (Road Studs) on either sides of the raised median (one pair of reflectors for every six meters) was taken up yesterday from Paduvarahalli Signal Lights junction up to Valmiki Road junction.

Today, the reflectors were being installed from Metropole Hotel Circle up to Valmiki Road junction and from Paduvarahalli Signal Lights Junction up to the traffic signal lights near Greens Hotel. Later, the reflectors would be installed from the traffic signal lights near Greens Hotel up to Hinkal Traffic Signal Lights, said National Highway officials.

Raised median reflector marker is a safety device used on roads to help motorists identify the median and drive and ride vehicles safely especially during night. Raised reflective markers include a lens or sheeting that enhances their visibility by retro-reflecting automotive headlights. Some other names for raised median markers include convex vibration lines, Botts' dots, delineators, cat's eyes, road studs or road turtles. Sometimes they are simply referred to as 'reflectors.'

The works taken up by the National Highway Department at a cost of Rs.12 crore include straightening of the stretch from Jaladarshini Guest House to Valmiki Road junction and development of the road and footpath from Metropole Hotel Circle up to Hinkal junction. The raised median reflector markers are being installed to prevent road mishaps and the reflectors have added beauty to the road.

The works on footpath is going on in full swing and the Hunsur Road development works would be completed by this month end, said National Highways Executive Engineer Jagadish.

Vehicles transporting school text books seized

Mysuru, Aug.7 (YDS&NNN)- Three vehicles transporting school students Text books in the guise of carrying waste paper from the Government Press in city were seized by the Police here yesterday.

The Department of State Educational Research and Training (DSERT), Bengaluru Deputy Director Vishwanath, University of Mysore's Prasaranga and Printing Director Satish, Mysuru South Zone Block Education Officer Nagesh, District Institute of Education and Training (DIET) Principal Mahadevappa, teachers Manjunath, Amith, Raju, Triveni and Shivamma, went to the Saraswathipuram Police Station yesterday and checked the three seized vehicles.

The officials found between the waste papers several sacks of revised text books of English, Urdu and Marathi of 8th and 9th standards printed about two to three months ago. They said that a report would be submitted within two days on the issue.

Background: Social activist Gangaraju and a few Karnataka Kannada Vedike members, based on a tip off that school children text books were being transported in vehicles from the Government Printing Press in the guise of carrying waste paper, had informed the matter to the Police Commissioner.

Saraswathipuram Police had seized the vehicles near Kukkarahalli Signal on Aug.3 and in this background, the official team visited the Police Station. Gangaraju had filed a complaint in this regard in the Saraswathipuram Police Station.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Gangaraju said that he had information regarding irregularities going on in Government Printing Press since the last month. This information had been passed on to Primary and Secondary Education Minister N. Mahesh, Deputy Commissioner Abhiram G. Sankar and Printing Press Director Ravishankar. However, none of them had bothered to take action, he alleged.

Hence, he along with the members of Karnataka Kannada Vedike, had informed the Police Commissioner on Aug.3 afternoon who had directed the Saraswathipuram Police to take action. They in turn had seized the three vehicles. A team from Bengaluru had come yesterday, checked and found the 2018 text books printed two to three months ago, he said.

The DC when informed said that it does not come under his jurisdiction and similarly Anti Corruption Bureau (ACB) and Lokayukta officials also gave the same reply. Only the Police Commissioner responded to our information and the investigation is going on, said Gangaraju and urged that action should be taken against the culprits.

Pejawar Seer inaugurates new Hall at Sri Krishnadhama

Mysuru, Aug.7 (SBD&DM)- Udupi Pejawar Mutt Seer Sri Vishweshwa Theertha Swamiji yesterday inaugurated the newly-built 'Sri Vayuprabhava Rajathangana' Hall at Krishnadhama in Saraswathipuram.

The Hall is built by Sri Krishna Mitra Mandali in association with Sri Krishna Trust.

Speaking on the occasion, the Swamiji said, he was happy to learn about the services of Sri Krishnadhama over the past 25 years. Lauding the Mandali and the Trust for constructing the hall, the Seer said that a successful organisation grows along with the time and Sri Krishnadhama is a perfect example for that. He blessed Krishnadhama to achieve more in the days to come.

Sri Bhimanakatte Mutt Seer 108 Raghuvarendra Theertha Swamiji, in his address, underlined the importance of practising Gayatri Upasane. The Seer called for regular performance of 'Gnana Yajna' at the new hall, for the betterment of the society.

Pejawar Mutt Seer Sri Vishweshwa Theertha Swamiji is seen lighting the lamp to inaugurate 'Sri Vayuprabhava Rajathangana' at Sri Krishnadhama in Saraswathipuram yesterday.

A total of 35 meritorious students were presented 'Pratibha Puraskar' on the occasion.

Also, Krishnadhama Chief Priest Srikanth Acharya was presented a prize for naming the new hall as 'Sri Vayuprabhava Rajathangana.'

Pejawar Mutt Junior Seer Sri Vishwa Prasanna Swamiji, Sri Krishna Mandali President P.V. Nagesh, Vice-President Ravishastri, Secretary P.S. Shekar, Sri Krishna Trust office-bearers Ananth Tantri, P. Jayaram, H.V. Raghavendra Bhat and others were present.

Indira Gandhi's aide R.K. Dhawan passes away

New Delhi, Aug.7- Senior Congress leader Rajinder Kumar (R.K.) Dhawan, a powerful aide and confidant of late Prime Minister Indira Gandhi, died in a New Delhi Hospital on Monday after a brief illness.

Dhawan (81), had been unwell for the past six months and had been in and out of hospital, according to sources.

As Personal Secretary to Indira Gandhi, Dhawan wielded enormous clout in the PMO, especially during emergency. He was a witness to Indira Gandhi's assassination in Oct. 1984 and had appeared as a witness before the Thakkar Commission of Inquiry. Rajiv Gandhi, who succeeded his mother, was not enthusiastic about retaining Dhawan in his office. However, Dhawan made a comeback and became a Rajya Sabha MP. He was also inducted into Congress Working Committee (CWC).

R.K. Dhawan

MCC raids four hookah bars; seize smoking pipes, tobacco

'Sheesha' bars were operating clandestinely at Bannimantap, Vontikoppal and Kalidasa Road

The MCC team including officials and Corporators seen inspecting the seized smoking pipes and tobacco at one of the hookah bars in city yesterday.

Mysuru, Aug. 7 (RKB&BCT)- In a surprise raid conducted by the members of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) Standing Committee on Health, four illegal hookah bars were shut down yesterday. The bars were run clandestinely by certain influential people at Bannimantap, Vontikoppal and Kalidasa Road, hoodwinking the law.

The raids took place at 'Highway Cafe' near Highway Circle, Bannimantap, 'Flavours' on Kalidasa Road and 'Nonsense Cafe' and 'Base Camp' at Vontikoppal. The clubs were allowing youth to have smoking sessions with Hookah or 'Sheesha'.

When the raid happened, many college students were caught puffing from these hookas. Some of the youngsters were found in an intoxicated condition and the raiding team found a couple of girl students indulging in hookah smoking. **These hookah bars were charging Rs.400 for a 15-minute smoking session** and if a student spends a few hours there, he/she will end up paying more than Rs.2,000. **One of the hookah bars had "Why drink and drive when you can smoke and fly" written on the walls.**

"There were complaints about hookah bars being operated in many parts of the city. We had the information about a few of them operating in Vontikoppal and Kalidasa Road where there is considerable population of youth and college students. **These hookah bars make good business on weekends.** All the bars were found violating the norms by having hookah bars of their own. We have seized them," said the raiding MCC authorities.

They added that students were warned not to come to such clubs and spoil their studies and career. "Smoking hookah **has numerous side effects because hookah smoke includes 4,000 chemical materials, most of which are produced during burning process and are combined with more than 40 carcinogenic materials.** Besides, hookah produces significantly higher amounts of smoke compared to cigarette. Despite harmful effects, and though banned, such outlets continue to do business and we have taken action," they said.

The raids were led by Chairman of Standing Committee on Health K.T. Cheluvegowda. Former Mayor Purushotham, MCC Health Officer Dr. D.G. Nagaraj, Corporators Ramesh, Rajani Annaiah and B.V. Manjunath were present.

"We have given directives to the jurisdictional Police to close down such illegal hookah bars as it is a violation of law to run such bars. As per law, tobacco is banned in public and wherever it is sold and consumed, the Police will take action. We will have to examine the type of smoking and if there is a use of tobacco or is it fruit flavour. Action will be initiated against the owners of such outlets if they are found selling tobacco and other banned items."

— Dr. A. Subramanyeswara Rao, City Police Commissioner

"In the past, I had initiated action against the hookah bars and had lodged many complaints with the Health Standing Committee that led to shutting down of hookah bars. Now again these hookah bars have mushroomed and are doing illegal business by wrongly claiming that the High Court has permitted them to function. Actually, the High Court has banned hookah bars and the use of banned substances like tobacco. I was surprised to note that some of these bars were operating in my MCC Ward 32. I will ensure that hookah bars will not open in my Ward."

—S.B.M. Manju, Ward 32 Corporator, MCC

Mysuru Dasara - 2018

Gajapayana on Aug.23

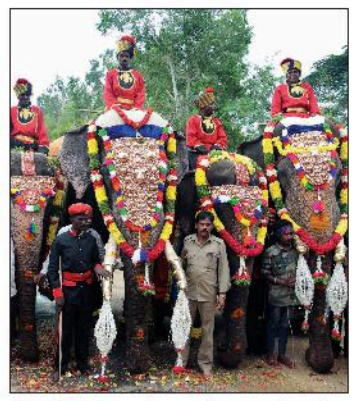
DC holds preliminary meeting

Mysuru, Aug.7 (MTY&KS)- Arjuna, the leader of the 12 elephants which will be participating in this year's Dasara festivities, is among the six elephants which will be leaving from Nagapura Tribal Hamlet in Hunsur taluk to Mysuru on Aug.23.

District Minister G.T. Devegowda will flag off the Gajapayana at the Girijana Ashrama School near Nagapura on Aug.23 at 11 am.

As elephants play a major role during Dasara especially the grand finale, the Jumboo Savari, importance is being to these elephants during Dasara festivities which will be held from Oct. 10 to 19. Jumboo Savari will held on Oct.19 with Arjuna carrying the Golden Howdah weighing 750 kg. These elephants would be put on special diet with nutritional supplements to prepare them for the grand finale.

On Aug.23, cultural programmes will be held at Nagapura Tribal hamlet from where the Gajapayana will begin with tribal children and Tibetans presenting their traditional dance. Apart from Arjuna, Balarama, Abhimanyu, Cauvery, Chaitra and Gopi or Vikram will leave for Mysuru in the first batch as these six elephants have more responsibilities during Dasara festivities. Chaitra, which is housed in Bandipur Elephant Camp will directly come to Mysuru, while the other elephants will leave from Nagapura.



Dasara meeting: Meanwhile, Deputy Commissioner G. Abhiram Sankar held a preliminary meeting on Dasara preparations with the officials concerned at his office here this morning.

The DC discussed various aspects of Dasara and necessary measures to be taken for making Dasara a grand success, with the Government already declaring that this year's Dasara will be held on a grand scale considering the copious rainfall across the State.

Establishment of power generating unit at Sewage Farm

MLA Ramdas in New Delhi

To hold discussions with officials, Ministers

Mysuru, Aug.7 (RKB&KS)- KR MLA S.A. Ramdas, yesterday left for New Delhi to hold discussions pertaining to the establishment of power generating unit from waste at the Sewage Farm in Vidyaranyapuram here and other issues.

S.A. Ramdas

Ramdas will hold discussions with the officials of Pollution Control Board and the Environment Minister today and will explain them about the works to be taken up and funds for it, said Ramdas' Personal Secretary.

The MLA Ramdas, accompanied by officials of various Departments, had underten a 20-day padayatra in his Constituency from July 14 to Aug. 5, to listen to the grievances of the residents and solve their problems. He provided solutions to some problems by instructing officials on the spot.

Ramdas has taken the list of problems aired by the residents during his padayatra and will conducted an inspection to see whether the officials have solved them as soon as he returns from New Delhi, said the MLA's Personal Secretary.

Afghan student killed in accident

Mysuru, Aug.7- A student from Afghanistan was killed on-the-spot and another grievously injured when the bike in which they were travelling hit the arch near the DC's office last night.

The unfortunate victim is Abdul Salim (23) and the other person who is in a coma is Ziaulla, 22. They are students of Mahajana's College studying in first and second year BA, it is said.

Both of them were not wearing helmets and driving the motorbike rashly when it lost control and hit against the arch. Abdul suffered head injuries and died on-the-spot. Ziaulla is being treated at a private hospital.

Devaraj Traffic Police have registered a case and investigation is on.

Ranganathittu ravaged

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Yesterday, a team of officers from the Forest Department visited Ranganathittu islands to assess the damage. The team visited Melapura Bee Eaters Reserve under Mysuru Wildlife Range and Ranganathittu Bird Sanctuary and conducted flood loss assessment studies. The team was led by DCF of Mysuru Wildlife Division Siddaramappa Chalakapure and RFO Ananya Kumar. They were accompanied by senior ornithologists.

The flood loss assessment survey team examined the shelter trees and observed that plants and small trees in the islands were uprooted and sand bags kept on the banks of islands to prevent soil erosion washed away. The swollen river also took away truckloads of mud from the islands, the team observed.

The concrete pillar barricades that were erected on the banks have been uprooted and the iron mesh railings have captured tonnes of plastic waste *(see pic.)* flowing along the river course. "We have studied the trees and listed out the extent of damage and compared the data with the data that had been taken at Ranganathittu during the bird census conducted last time.

The data will be compared and only then we can assess the number of birds and hatchlings that have been washed away. We are also suggesting remedial measures," Siddaramappa told *Star of Mysore* this morning.

The team underlined the urgent need for revamping the Bird Sanctuary by planting saplings, installing sand bags to prevent soil erosion. They also felt the need of improving the thickness of layers or mud in the islands. A report will be prepared and submitted to the State government to formulate a plan, he added.

MAN-MADE DISASTER

Commenting on the plan by the Forest Department on revamping Ranganathittu islands, Mysuru-based Ethologist Ragoo Rao has termed the destruction as 'man-made disaster'.

"The department cannot do much here. If at all they want to save birds, they need to regulate the flow of water from the KRS and create a separate bypass channel exclusively for the water release," he opined.

If one sees the flow of water to Ranganathittu, he can observe that water flows through two streams. One of the streams after the sanctuary must be used to channelise KRS water, he said.

"Birds have selected Ranganathittu islands for breeding and the phenomenon continues till Ramanathapuram in Tamil Nadu. Ranganathittu is famous for its Herons. Actually, the birds are programmed for natural water flow and they are not accustomed to unscheduled water release from the dams like it happened here. The authorities should have thought about the birds before releasing water and water should have been released in a controlled manner, instead of releasing it in full force," he added.

Displaced florists to occupy vacant market

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The florists, who saw the place, are very happy that at last they have been given a suitable place from where they can operate peacefully without any hindrance. The place was earlier earmarked by the MCC as flowers, fruits and vegetable market and a name-board has also been put up. There is a gate to the entrance which was kept locked.

The evicted florists had been running from pillar to post since the last one week to find a suitable place as they were suffering huge business loss. They had been assured of a place near Cheluvamba Park. However, there was resistance from the nearby residents and the Corporation had to look for one more place and it finally zeroed in on the vacant market in Jayalakshmipuram.

MCC Health Officer Dr. D.G. Nagaraj, Additional Commissioner Ravindra along with the nine florists visited the spot this morning and the moment the florists saw the place, they were really happy that they have at last found a permanent place to set up their shops.

Dr. Nagaraj, speaking to *Star of Mysore,* said that there are all facilities including good water supply and free open space where the florists can have their own shelter and start the business. "They have agreed to pay the ground rent. They will all be issued ID cards and by this evening they can start operating," he said.

However, it is interesting to note that the market had been lying vacant for a long time (just like many other markets constructed by Mysuru Urban Development Authority lying neglected) and no fruit, vegetable or flower vendor was prepared to set up shop here as they felt that they would lose business since not many people would be willing to come to the conservancy. Hence, they refused to move but preferred to do business on the footpath. This is the reason why there are flowers and fruit vendors all round Mathru Mandali Circle.

Open book exam held on experimental basis in city

Mysuru, Aug. 7 (PM&DM)- Taking a cue from Primary and Secondary Education Minister N. Mahesh's recent statement that he was for an open book exam system, the Nrupatunga Kannada School in Ramakrishnanagar held an open book exam for 5th to 10th standard students on an experimental basis this morning.

Each of the class was allowed to choose one subject, barring Mathematics, in the open book exam of one hour duration that took place between 10.30 am and 11.30 am.

School Secretary and Kannada activist S. R. Sudarshan, speaking to *SOM,* said that a total of 150 students wrote this exam. The outcome of the exam will be assessed in a week and a report in this regard will be submitted to the Government in a week for consideration, he pointed out.

Poor response for transport strike

Mysuru, Aug.7 (RKB&US)- The proposed nationwide transport strike opposing the amendments of Motor Vehicles Act received poor response in city this morning. KSRTC buses, lorries, autos and cabs were plying as usual.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore,* District Lorry Owners Association President Kodandaram said that they were not for the strike as the recent lorry strike had hit the transporters and public very badly. However, he opposed the proposed amendments.

No power tomorrow

Mysuru, Aug. 7- Owing to emergency maintenance works, power supply will be disrupted tomorrow between 10 am and 5 pm in the following areas: Hootagalli, KRS Road, Belavadi Industrial Area, Hootagalli Industrial Area, Koorgalli Industrial Area, Sai Garments, Belavadi village, Basavanapura, Vijayanagar, SVEI School and surrounding areas.

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Art exhibition on the concept of 'Outsider'

By V. Shourabh

Zero Eight 21, an art group from Mysuru, in collaboration with Clark House Initiative, Mumbai, has organised an art exhibition with the theme 'Outsider' in the hall below the *Badsha's Pride* on Nelson Mandela Road from Aug.4 to Aug.12. Both these groups pave a path for those who seek representation.

Coming from an inherent need to connect and merge the borders and interact between other cultures to spread curious intention towards each other, this synergy between individuals from both Mysuru and Mumbai aim to expand context and be both within and outside, as a part and apart.

Speaking to *SOM,* **Prabhakar Kamble,** Artist & Curator, Clark House Initiative, Mumbai, said, "The historical context of cities such as Mysuru and my hometown, Kolhapur, has similar practice of social justice since pre-Independence. These cities were pioneers for making the system of social justice that is the reservation and representation system which was a policy put in place in both the cities by its authoritarian ruler. Looking at both these cities, its history marks not just a remembrance but also an initiation of a connection that when carried forward, the same dots of equality among all of us while looking into the idea of collaboration as an outsider, it has more contentment than just the series of exhibition."

To be an outsider one must feel to as an insider somewhere. Under the name of community, we are still separating society and dividing certain people from an imagined mainstream and keeping them out of power and position one way or the other. This concept of division works under the name of religion, caste, community, race, gender, colour, belief etc. Women are also being considered as an outsider in the society and has been denied equality since a long time. It creates distance between physical, psychological, geographical and the social "you"; it reflects the undercurrents of the overall damage of our culture and humanity that we are facing as outsiders and witnessing its repercussions. This is a platform where we share our art and knowledge which is far away from the contemporary world, he said.

Here in the expo, some of them dealt with history, their existence in it as an insider and outsider. **Jithinlal** re-reads history through his drawings; **K.S. Nahusha** and **Raghu Wodeyar** are the Mysuru and Bengaluru based artists respectively, who are conceptual artistes doing performance art. **Ranjeeta Kumari** & **Birender Yadav** have works on their own reading and research of socially, economically and educationally backward workers dealing with questions of exploitation. **Mayuri Chari** talks of her own experience and understanding as a woman where she sews and makes drawings of her own body parts on cloth.

Sudharak Olwe, who received *Padma Shree* for his great contribution in photography and activism, narrates the whole story of people's fight for dignity — *'Justice delayed is justice denied'* which is the series of documenting atrocities on Dalits in Maharashtra, *'In search of dignity and justice'* which is the untold story of Mumbai's conservancy workers and *'11th Lane Kamathipura'* — Life in living hell which is the stories of prostitutes. **Amol K. Patil, Yogesh Barve, Prabhakar Kamble** have strongly expressed their voice against the social inequality through their performances, texts, videos and installations. **Shiva Gor** work deals with sculptural installations, drawings and text on the cultural memory of his own nomadic community. Through his works he explores culture, language and aesthetics of his community.

Sudhir Rajbhar, conceptual artist, socially and practically engaged with cobbler artisans has collaborated to produce fashion products. **Shashikant Dhotre,** who is known for his realistic portrait, works but for three years has been experimenting sculptural installations and expressing his own rooted experiences of his struggle.

Clark House Initiative is a curatorial collaborative and a union of artists based in Bombay. It was established in 2010 by Zasha Colah and Sumesh Sharma, concerned with ideas of freedom; Zero Eight 21 mainly focuses on archiving the heritage through the artistic documentation using mediums such as photography, film-making, painting etc.

An installation art in the shape of hut by artist Shashikanth Dhotre. He has made this hut with stitched fabrics which are in the shape of human stomach. It depicts the hunger of working class and their struggle.

Jithin Lahiri's masterpiece titled** 'Wounds and Stars' **depicts the hardships of people and their dreams.** Pic. right: **Prabhakar Kamble seen with his work** 'Sweet box' **where he has used silver foil paper, coins and a sweet box.

Ranjeeta Kumari has collected the** 'Vinda' **used by labourers on their head to carry materials while constructing buildings. The artist portrays that the ones who build houses for us have no place to live.** Pic. right: **Sudharak Olwe's photography series on display at the exhibition.

Mysuru Warriors visit Chamundi Hill

Mysuru Warriors **players, along with coach Rx Murali arrived in Mysuru yesterday. The team visited Chamundi Hill to seek the blessings of Goddess Chamundeshwari for the forthcoming KPL-2018. They were accompanied by Arjun Ranga, Owner,** *Mysuru Warriors***. The rigorous 10-day training for the players started in city yesterday.**

KSCA Inter-Mofussil Tournament for U-19

Tumakuru scores eight wicket win over Mysuru Zone

Bengaluru, Aug.7- Helped by an unbeaten knock of 85 (112b, 12x4) by Nirmith Shashidhar, Tumakuru Zone registered a facile eight wicket win over Mysuru Zone in the KSCA Inter-Mofussil Tournament for U-19 played at the RWF Grounds here on Monday.

Batting first, Mysuru Zone were bowled out for 129 in 41.4 overs. D. Amruth Raj (35) and C. Hemanth Kumar (31) were the scorers.

B.N. Shashank Gowda bowled well for Tumakuru bagging five for 28.

In reply, Tumakuru Zone scored 131 for two in 36 overs and registered a facile eight wicket win. Nirmith Shashidhar (85 n.o.) and Pranav Bellur (27 n.o.) were the scorers for Tumakuru.

However, Mysuru Zone topped the league table with four wins from five games.

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Mysuru Zone: 129 in 41.4 overs (D. Amruth Raj 35, C. Hemanth Kumar 31, B.N. Shashank Gowda five for 28, Ziaur Rehaman two for 15, M.A. Wasaaf two for 19) lost to **Tumakuru Zone:** 131 for two in 36 overs (Nirmith Shashidhar 85 n.o., Pranav Bellur 27 n.o.).

Prize winners of Wrestling and Shuttle Contests

The winning students are seen with *(sitting from left)* ***School Vice-Principal M.S. Uma, Vidyavardhaka Sangha (VVS) Hon. Secretary P. Vishwanath, VVS Hon. President Gundappa Gowda and PE Teacher Muniraju.***

Mysuru, Aug.7- The following students of Vidyavardhaka High School have secured prizes in Wrestling Competition organised by the Department of Secondary Education, at Yuvaraja's College Auditorium in city recently: Syed Sakib (2nd place), Lokesh (3rd) and V. Ravindra (3rd).

The following girl students of the School have secured 1st place in the Shuttle Badminton Competition held at Lion's School premises in Gokulam here recently: Keerthana, Rakshitha, Angel, Anthony Mari, Bindu, Bhuvaneshwari and Keerthana Rauth. They have now been selected for District-level Contest.

State Open Rapid Chess Tournament on Aug.11, 12

Mysuru, Aug.7- The Velapuri Chess Association, Belur (Hassan), will be conducting the Karnataka State Open Rapid Chess Tournament at Sudhanava Gowda Vokkaligara Kalyana Mantapa, Belur, Hassan, on Aug.11 and 12.

A total cash prize fund of Rs.80,000 is in the offing for the winners in Open category. Cash prizes will be given to the winners from 1 to 25th in the Open category. Trophies (first 5 places) will be given to the winners in the U-7, U-9, U-11, U-13, U-15 (boys & girls) sections. Three trophies will be given to the best three veteran players.

Last date for entry is Aug.10. For details, contact M.J. Krishnamurthy on Mob: 94829-73425.

Basketball Tourney in city from today

Mysuru, Aug.7- The Mysuru District Basketball Association is conducting a District-level Basketball Tournament for High School Boys, High School Girls, Men and Women from Aug.7 to 15 at the University Basketball Courts (next to University Oval Grounds).

KSCA U-19 Women's Selection Trials

Bengaluru, Aug.7- An Open Selection Trial to pick three/ four teams to participate in selection matches (women) during the third / last week of August 2018 at Bengaluru will be held on Aug.12 from 9.30 am onwards at the KSCA-B Ground here.

Girls born on or after Sept.1, 1999, interested in participating in the selection trials, are requested to report at 9 am on the said date and venue in cricketing attire. Girls from mofussil centres will be provided dormitory accommodation on the morning of Aug.12 for freshening up / stay for a day.

City skater to represent India in Asian Junior Meet

Rea Elizabeth Achaiah

Mysuru, Aug.7- Rea Elizabeth Achaiah, a 17-year-old female skater from Mysuru, has been selected to represent the country in the 18th Asian Junior Roller Skating Championship at South Korea from August 8 to 15. It's the fourth time she will be representing the country.

Rea, a 2nd PU student of SBRR Mahajana PU College, started roller skating at the age of four and has so far won 110 gold, 13 silver and 6 bronze medals and has been crowned individual champion 21 times at district, State and National Competitions.

When she was eight years old, she qualified for her first National Championship and won a bronze medal for Karnataka. Along with Roller Skating, she also does Ice-Speed Skating. She participated in the National Ice-Skating Championship in 2013-14 at Shimla and won three gold medals, in 2015-16 she won two gold medals at Gulmarg, Kashmir and in 2016-17 she won two gold medals at Shimla.

In all, she has won seven gold medals in Ice-Skating National Championships. For her achievements over the past decade, she has received various awards which includes Balashree Award, Pratibha Puraskar Award from Women and Child Welfare Department and got cash awards from the State Government. A few days ago, SBRR Mahajana PU College felicitated.

She is one of three skaters invited by the Korean Govt. to represent India in Ice-Skating to attend a Dream Programme 2015 (nurturing young athletes for the Olympics and Paralympics Winter Gaines 2018) at Seoul, South Korea in February 2015.

Rea Achaiah has been training and coaching under the guidance of Srikanta Rao, an international skater, Indian team coach and Ekalavya Award winner.

She is the daughter of K.N. Achaiah, who is self-employed and Priya Achaiah, a teacher in a private school.

Ganesha festival

MCC begins drive against PoP, chemical coloured idols

Mysuru, Aug. 7 (RK&NNN)- The Mysuru City Corporation (MCC) as part of its drive against Ganesha idols being made out of Plaster of Paris (PoP), chemical colours and plastic, began checking for the same from Aug. 4.

File Photo

The team led by MCC Health Officer Dr. D. G. Nagaraj visited a Ganesha idol manufacturing unit in Vinayakanagar (Paduvarahalli) and found that the idols were being made of clay and not exceeding four feet in height.

Dr. Nagaraj speaking to *Star of Mysore* here yesterday morning said that the manufacturers were not using PoP, plastic or chemical colours and were following the stringent guidelines issued by the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KPSCB).

He said that the MCC as soon as it completes the inspection will send the report to KSPCB the same day.

In the coming days, the team will visit Panchamukhi Ganpathi Temple on Irwin Road, Kumbarakoppal, Temple Road near Mathrumandali Circle, CFTRI Layout near Bogadi, Hebbal Ring Road near SBI and other places and check whether the guidelines issued is being followed or not, said Dr. Nagaraj.

Pratibha Puraskar presented to meritorious students

Mysuru, Aug. 7 (SBD&US)- Karnataka State Vokkaliga Employees Welfare Association had organised a function at Negilayogi Maruleshwara Seva Bhavana in Jayanagar here recently for presentation of Pratibha Puraskar to meritorious students.

District In-Charge Minister G.T. Devegowda and MLA L. Nagendra were felicitated on the occasion.

Addressing the gathering, Devegowda, said that Dasara festival was fast approaching and with people of the city expecting a grand spectrum of events, he assured to live up to the expectations and sought help and co-operation of all. He contended that the coalition government in the State would implement all the assurances made and added that, the programmes initiated by the previous government too would be continued without any bias or prejudice.

He assured to resolve the issues dogging the Higher-Education sector and added that suggestion has been given to every University to adopt a minimum of five villages and develop them.

Speaking on the occasion, Nagendra recalled that the blessings of GTD on him had made him successful as Corporator three times and MUDA Chairman. He assured to work for the welfare of the people.

Over 100 students who had come out with flying colours in SSLC and II PU exams were presented Pratibha Puraskar. Sri Someshwaranatha Swamiji of Adichunchanagiri Mutt, Mysuru Branch graced the occasion. Association President Parameshawara, DDPUE Dayanand, former Mayor R. Lingappa, Retd. Engineer Dr. M. Mahadevaiah and others were present.

Minister holds Janaspandana programme at K.R. Nagar village

Mysuru, Aug. 7 - As part of his Grama Vastavya initiative, Tourism and Sericulture Minister S.R. Mahesh stayed at the residence of one Puttashetty at Malanayakanahalli in K.R. Nagar Taluk on Friday night. On Saturday morning, the Minister held a Janaspandana programme, during which he received more than 500 petitions and representations from the villagers.

After going through them, he directed the concerned officials to take necessary action on these petitions and address the grievances of the villagers at the earliest.

Speaking on the occasion, S.R. Mahesh said Chunchanakatte Jalapatotsava will be held next week and Chief Minister H.D. Kumaraswamy has been invited to inaugurate the water fest. Asking the officials to make necessary preparations for the colourful event, he assured of setting up a potable drinking water plant and milk freezer unit in the village.

ADC T. Yogesh, AC Nitish, ASP Arunamshugiri, K.R. Nagar in-charge Tahsildar Nikhita, T.P. EO Lakshmi Mohan, MYMUL Director A.T. Somasekhar and other officials were present.

Trekkers mesmerised by Himalayan clouds

In the mountains, greenery mesmerises any person and the clouds can capture your imagination of being in heaven. But all together it was different experience of trekking amidst the clouds which give a sense of contentment and jittery moments when you don't see your co-trekker, but still it excites you differently, says Dr. Dhanya Soodana Mohan, a Paediatrician of Mysuru who was on her first-ever trekking expedition to Himalayas.

It was about 17 youths — There were nine members from Mysuru and four from Bengaluru one from Coorg, one from MP and one from Gujarat and one from Himachal Pradesh — who went on a mission to explore the hazy paradise in Himachal Pradesh amidst the speculation from media and apprehension in the minds of the parents that, was this expedition necessary to go in this season when you have such huge adversaries advised by the media about falling stones, falling bridges and bad weather in Manali.

But Tiger Solanki of Tiger Adventure Foundation says these are normal challenges you have in mountain, you have to face it with grit determination and come out of it. The team left Mysuru on July 21 to Manali via Delhi amidst speculations of rain and shine but it didn't lost the track of Mission Mt. Hampta Pass in Kullu Manali region and successfully crossed Spiti Valley in Himachal Pradesh on July 27 despite rain in mountains which is usual phenomenon, says Harshavardhan of Mysuru.

The team reported to the Zenith Base camp in Sarsai village and had acclimatised by going to a height of 1000 feet to Roerich Art Gallery in Naggar town.

The team started the trek from Zobru Nala and reached Chikka camp site. Next day, trek to Balu ka Ghera was supposed to be challenging as one has to cross the streams which run down the knee deep to waist level depending upon the height of the person, that too gushing water down the stream from the melting glaciers above the mountains, which can be measured to minus degree Celsius — the experience which can send shiver down the spine, says Kushal Shankar of NIE.

As we had planned to summit on Mt. Hampta Pass on July 26, the torrential rains had deterred our plans and we had to stay back in the Balu ka Ghera for additional day and confined ourselves inside the tents playing some indoor games etc. As the rains stopped it opened a Pandora of hidden treasure in the mountains as we could see the snow fall and when the sky was clear, we could see different mountain ranges like Indra Kila and Indrasen.

On July 27, we left the Summit camp at 6.50 am for the Mt. Hampta Pass amidst the sun shine and heavy clouds surrounding us near the summit gave a jittery feeling of losing the fellow trekker from the sight giving a sense of insecurity but nevertheless the organisers had the radio walkie talkie covering from the one end to the other end and we being amidst them gave sense of secured feeling, it was gruelling six hours trek from Balu ka Ghera to summit, as we summit at 1 pm, says Vibha Prasad of Mysuru.

As we descended we were in Spiti Valley and reached Shea Goru camp site and the camp site near Shea River which mesmerises the trekkers with its beautiful landscape from gravel to the different formation like Lord Ganesha in gravel is clearly visible in front of your camp site and Heart symbol in the glaciers, Gateway to heaven, some imaginary formations are worth watching there, says Yash Mehta. On July 28, we started our descent to Chatru which was just another adventure of criss-crossing Shea River and streams which was more than freezing but by this time we were acclimatised and it was fine going but the road ahead of Chatru gave the sense it was done for the day and we are back to the habitation.

We reached the Base camp amidst rain and the bumpy ride in Tata Sumo gave a insight of ride in hilly region and we could see various water falls from as high as 80 feet to different milky waves flowing down the stream to the other main river Chandra.

The team members were Deeksha Janardhan, Kushal Shankar, Yash Mehta, Palak Mehta, Yesha Rathod, Devendra Tiwari, Shaurya Pratap Singh, Vishal Kothari, Saloni singhvi, Nellamakada Ria Bopanna, Sanjana Khanter, Paavana Srinivas, Harshavardhana, Vibha Prasad, Rithu Jain, DSD Solanki and Dr. S.M. Dhanya.

—Tiger Solanki

Mandya Cong. worker ends life as JD(S) MLA's men thrash him

Mandya, Aug. 7 (Nagaiah &BCT)- Nagendra, a 28-year-old youth, who was allegedly assaulted by supporters of Srirangapatna MLA Ravindra Srikantaiah allegedly hanged himself from a tree at Gobbaragala village under Arakere Police Station limits on Sunday night.

Nagendra was attacked by Dilip, Sridhar and five others. As the news of the death of youth spread like wild fire, tension gripped Gobbaragala and neighbouring villages.

Nagendra, a staunch supporter of former Congress MLA Rameshbabu Bandisiddegowda, was allegedly attacked in a bar by JD(S) workers who claimed to be supporters of Ravindra.

Nagendra was, however, rescued by others in the bar and sent away. Nagendra had allegedly made some negative comments about MLA Ravindra at the bar that had his supporters. A few hours later, around 30 supporters of Ravindra came to Gobbaragala and started a house-to-house search for Nagendra.

Deceased Nagendra

Though village elders and Nagendra's brother Nagesh pleaded with them not to harm Nagendra and forgive him, the mob finally tracked him down and again attacked him in public. Before to leaving the village, the accused even threatened to kill him.

Nagendra, upset at being attacked and abused in front of other villagers, committed suicide. Mandya Police have registered a case against seven miscreants under Section 306 (abetment to suicide) of the IPC and have launched a manhunt to arrest them.

Meanwhile, Bandisiddegowda said: "Ravindra's supporters have unleashed terror in Srirangapatna Assembly segment as they attacked our supporters. If my supporters have committed any wrong, let the Police initiate legal action. The MLA's supporters are brazenly committing crimes and are politically shielded."

Nagesh, brother of the deceased, said seven people attacked his brother for making comments against MLA Ravindra Srikantaiah. "Though I fell on their feet and appealed them to spare my brother, they continued to thrash him. This made him commit suicide," he said.

Bandisiddegowda visited Mandya district hospital and consoled the family members. He demanded a probe into the incident and said this was the seventh incident in the past three months. He said they will take to the streets if Congress workers are attacked.

Training at BARC

Mysuru, Aug.7 (US)- Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), Mumbai, has invited applications online for training with stipend. Eligible candidates (Men/Women) should have passed PUC (Science), B.Sc or Diploma. For details contact Assistant Director, District Employment Exchange Office, Mysuru or call Ph: 0821-2489972 or visit *www. recruit.barc.gov.in*

MYSORE SUMMER RACES 2018

(By Our Racing Correspondent)

Knotty Ash Vs Sakura for Mysore Race Club Million

Mysuru, Aug. 7- The following are the selections for the 12th Day Mysore Summer Races to be held here tomorrow (8th August 2018):

1. 2.00 PM THE SINDHU PLATE DIV II
1200 mts (rated 00 to 25)
1. Jersey Bride 2.Centurio

2. 2.30 PM THE GOLDEN FANTASY PLATE
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1.Smart Signs 2.Secret Touch

4. 3.30 PM THE GANJAM PLATE
2000 mts. (rated 60 and above)
1. John Cabot 2. Stein Light

5. 4.00 PM THE SPAR FOODS CUP DIV 1
1200 mts. (rated 40 to 65)
1. Bandito 2. Eltycoon

6. 4.30 PM THE MYSORE RACE CLUB MILLION
1600 mts. 3 years (terms)
1.Knotty Ash 2.Sakura

7. 5.00 PM THE SCONE STONE PLATE
1600 mts. (rated 20 to 45)
1. Archimedes 2. Dixie Land

8. 5.30 PM THE SPAR FOODS CUP DIV II
1200 mts. (rated 40 to 65)
1. Fringe Benefit 2. Amaris

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DOUBLE: *1. ARCHIMEDES 2. FRINGE BENEFIT*
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Obituary

Chikkamma

Mysuru, Aug. 7- Chikkamma (78), wife of late Ramakrishnappa and a resident of Sunnadakeri, passed away yesterday at a private hospital in city.

She leaves behind four sons including Nagaraju, a newspaper distributor, two daughters, daughters-in-law, sons-in-law, grand children and a host of relatives. Last rites were performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill here this morning.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby issued to the general public that **Sri. V. Pramod Kumar** S/o Late. R. Vishan Gopal, residing at 2670, 2nd Main Road, V.V. Mohalla, Mysuru has agreed to sell the schedule property to my client/s. Any person/s asserting any right, title, interest or claim on the schedule property or any part thereof is hereby required to communicate the same to the undersigned at **L-50/2A, 1st floor, Ashoka Road, Mysuru-01** with documentary evidence within **Fifteen (15)** days from the date of this Public Notice, failing which the sale transaction of the schedule property will be completed on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with respect of the schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of commercial property bearing No. 36 & 37 & Corporation numbers 37, D-37, 37/1, D-36/1, situated at Sayyaji Rao Road, (K.R. Circle), Devaraja Mohalla, Mysuru, measuring East to West 44ft., and North to South (25+23.6)/2 ft., having constructed building on Ground, First and Second floor & bounded on :

East by : Property bearing No. 38
West by : Property bearing No. 35
North by : Property bearing No. 40 & 39
South by : Road.

Sd/- Sanjay Jain, BBM., LL.B., CCL, CMJFS
Advocate
L-50/2A, 1st Floor, Ashoka Road, Mysore-01
Email : msj186@yahoo.co.in
Cell : 9341464636

ಧಾರ್ಮಿಕ ದತ್ತಿ ಇಲಾಖೆ
ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ
ಶ್ರೀ ಚಾಮುಂಡೇಶ್ವರಿ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನ, ಚಾಮುಂಡಿಬೆಟ್ಟ, ಮೈಸೂರು –570 010
ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂ: 0821–2590027, ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್ – 0821–2590082
e-mail: eochamunditemple@gmail.com

ಸಂ:ಎಸ್.ಒ.ಚಾ. (5) ಬಿಆರ್. 35 /2018–19 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 06.8.2018.

ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಗೆ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ, ಚಾಮುಂಡಿಬೆಟ್ಟದ ಶ್ರೀ ಚಾಮುಂಡೇಶ್ವರಿ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಹಳೆ ಕಬ್ಬಾಣದ ಪೈಪು, ಮುರಿದ ಕಬ್ಬಾಣದ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳು, ರೋಲಿಂಗ್ ಶೆಟರ್ಸ್, ಪ್ಲಾಸ್ಟಿಕ್ ಪೈಪು ಗುಜರಿ (scrap) ಪದಾರ್ಥಗಳನ್ನು ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಮೂಲಕ ವಿಲೆ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು. ದಿನಾಂಕ: 22.8.2018 ರಂದು ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11–00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಚಾಮುಂಡಿಬೆಟ್ಟದ ಅತಿಥಿಗೃಹದ ಬಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳು ಹೇಗಿವೆಯೋ ಹಾಗೆಯೇ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ನಡೆಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಹರಾಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಇಚ್ಛಿಸುವವರು ಸದರಿ ದಿನದಂದು ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 10–30 ಗಂಟೆಯ ಒಳಗಾಗಿ ರೂ.50,000–00 ಗಳನ್ನು ಮುಂಗಡವಾಗಿ ಪಾವತಿಸಿ ಹರಾಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟು ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ಕಛೇರಿ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಸಹಿ/–ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ,
ಶ್ರೀ ಚಾಮುಂಡೇಶ್ವರಿ ದೇವಸ್ಥಾನ, ಚಾಮುಂಡಿಬೆಟ್ಟ.

MYSORE PAINTS AND VARNISH LIMITED
(CIN - U51434KA1947SGC000503)
New Bannimantap Extension, P.O. MYSORE – 570015
e-mail id : info@mysorepaints.com / www.mysorepaints.com
Phone – 0821 – 2493831 / 2497469 Fax – 0821-2499466
Ref: MPVL/ADMIN/2018-19/1129 Date: 06.08.2018

Mysore Paints & Varnish Ltd , a Government of Karnataka Undertaking invites an Expression of Interest (EOI) from leading Advocates/Law firms in Mysore to advice and work on behalf of the Company on civil matters

Profile required: Minimum 10 years experience in handling litigations independently, handling contracts draft, review, negotiate compliance, timely response to legal notices, advisory service, opinions to Company requirements, execution of decrees, follow up the court procedure and should be able to analyse the legal risks in transactions

Interested Advocates/reputed Law firms to work as Legal Advisors may send their EOI/Offer in closed/sealed cover on or before 18th August, 2018 to the above address.

Date: 06.08.2018
Place: MYSURU **Sd/- General Manager (Admin)**

भारत सरकार / Government of India
परमाणु ऊर्जा विभाग / Department of Atomic Energy
भाभा परमाणु अनुसंधान केन्द्र / Bhabha Atomic Research Centre
सामान्य सेवाएं प्रभाग / General Services Division
Plot No. 1, Trombay, Mumbai – 400 085

ई-निविदा आमंत्रण सूचना / NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER

Superintending Engineer (SSD), BARC, Mysuru, invites for & on behalf of the President of India, sealed item rate tenders from experienced contractors with sound financial & technical capability for the following work(s):

विवरण Description	ब्यौरा Details
निविदा संदर्भ Tender Reference No.	BARC/MYS/SSD/CIVIL/2018-19
कार्य का नाम Name of the work	Removal of silt in storm water drains, road side drains, cleaning of road surface and water tables etc. for a period of 12 months at BARC Plant Site, Mysuru.
अनुमानित लागत Estimated Cost	₹ 10,50,000.00 (Rupees Ten Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)
पूर्णता अवधि Completion Period	12 (twelve) months
बयाना जमा राशि Earnest Money Deposit	₹ 21,000.00 (Rupees Twenty One Thousand Only)
निविदा उपलब्धता की अवधि Sale of Tender Documents	From 07.08.2018 (10.00 Hrs.) to 09.08.2018 (17.00 Hrs.)

संपूर्ण निविदा सूचना एवं निविदा प्रपत्र वेबसाइट www.tenderwizard.com/dae तथा www.barc.gov.in पर उपलब्ध है।

Interested tenderers may please refer detailed Notice Inviting Tender (NIT) for eligibility criteria and other details, which can be downloaded from website www.tenderwizard.com/dae and www.barc.gov.in

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WORD OF THE DAY

Cowrie

Pronunciation: kaù-rē

Meaning: Full of intense interest or excitement; eager.
Origin: A small snail that is found in warm seas. Any various marine gastropods (family Cypraeidae) that are widely distributed in the sea and have glossy and often brightly coloured shells; also called the shell of a cowrie. In 1660, some parts of Asia used cowrie as money. It was first recorded in 1655-65. Cowrie is from the Hindi and Urdu word 'kaurī', from Mahrati 'kavadi' which has its root in Sanskrit word 'kaparda', of Dravidian origin, which is perhaps related to Tamil 'kōtu' shell.
Example: Cowrie shells have been used as money in Africa and other places.

THE ODD WORD

Livsnjutare

Someone who loves life deeply and lives it to the extreme.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

When pigs fly

Meaning: Something that will never happen, impossible; highly unlikely to happen.

Origin: The origin of 'When pigs fly' or 'pigs might fly' was 'pigs fly with their tails forward', which was first found in a list of proverbs in the 1616 edition of John Withals's English-Latin dictionary - A Shorte Dictionarie for Yonge Begynners: 'Pigs fly in the ayre with their tayles forward'. This form of the expression was in use for two hundred years as a sarcastic rejoinder to any overly optimistic prediction made by the gullible. Other creatures were previously cited in similar phrases — 'snails may fly', 'cows might fly' etc., but it is pigs that stood the test of time as the favoured image of an animal that is particularly unsuited to flight. In 1909, in a jokey attempt to prove that pigs can take flight, the pioneer aviator Baron Brabazon of Tara, took a piglet aloft in his private biplane, strapped into a waste-paper basket with a board, "I am the first pig to fly".
Example: I asked my boss if I could go on a two month vacation, he said yes, when pigs fly!

QUOTE BOX

Doing your work sincerely and removing the expectations or attachment of result will make you live peacefully. **—Bhagavad gita**

RIDDLE THIS

What did zero say to eight?

Answer: Nice belt.

SUDOKU

				7			4	
	2			9	3			
			5				3	8
9							2	
	8	1	3		4	9	5	
	3							6
1	7				6			
			8	2			6	
	4			5				

Answer to previous puzzle

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

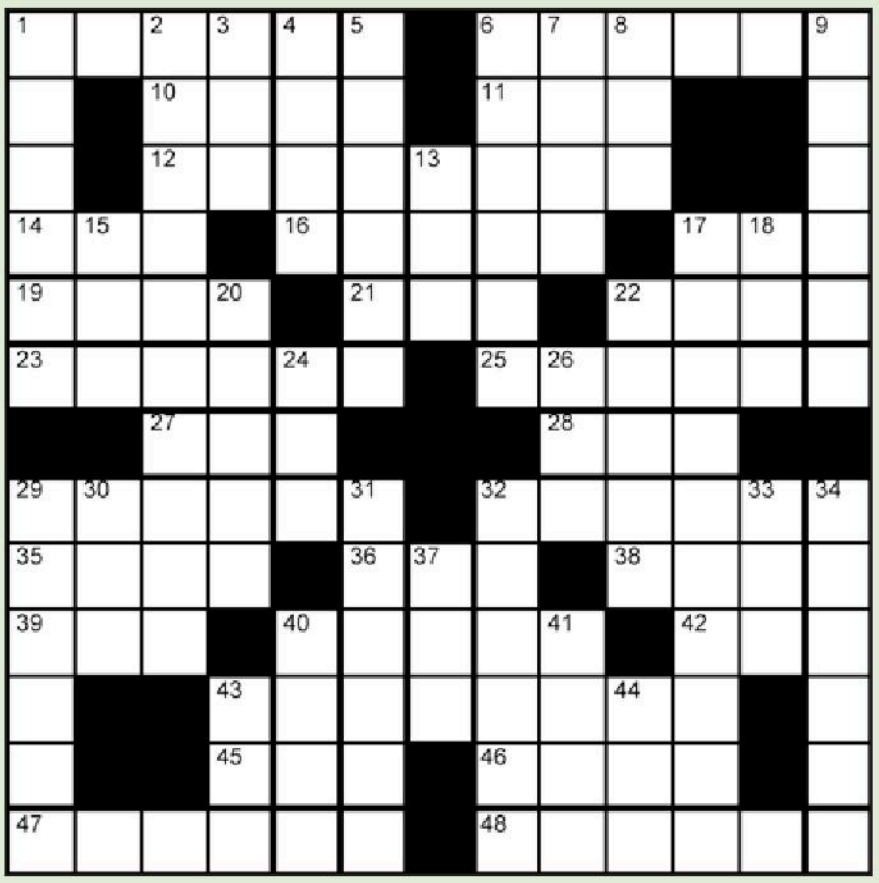
CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Amulets worn to ward off evil
6 A generalised diagram or plan - "same ch" anagram?
10 Fit in; befit
11 Monetary unit of Vietnam - "o ha" anagram?
12 Auto's helm: the ___ wheel
14 Introduction to Latin
16 Fasteners
17 Music director Malik
19 Tube
21 ___ over : extend beyond limits?
22 Small British bird
23 Comes up
25 Having fear
27 ___ Paar: 1954 Guru Dutt movie
28 Cropped hairstyle
29 Off track
32 Having or possessing
35 "Nose" anagram for dissenters?
36 European Economic Community
38 India's holy city
39 To Be Determined
40 Choice group
42 Not elsewhere specified, abbr.
43 Reproduces on a bigger scale
45 Old name for Tokyo
46 Curved moulding
47 A type of small fish
48 Sri Lanka for one, Malta for another?

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER:

S	O	W	N	■	L	S	D	■	A	N	T	S
A	L	A	E	■	I	K	E	■	L	O	U	T
W	A	T	T	■	S	U	B	T	L	E	T	Y
S	F	E	■	S	P	A	R	E	■	L	U	X
■	■	R	U	E	S	■	I	L	S	■	■	■
O	U	G	H	T	■	R	E	A	C	H	E	S
U	T	A	H	■	E	L	F	■	A	I	N	U
R	E	S	U	L	T	S	■	A	R	M	E	D
■	■	■	H	U	E	■	V	I	S	A	■	■
E	D	T	■	G	R	A	I	L	■	C	P	A
T	O	R	M	E	N	T	S	■	C	H	O	P
R	E	E	L	■	A	T	I	■	O	A	K	S
E	R	E	I	■	L	A	T	■	G	L	E	E

DOWN
1 Ottawa locale
2 "A" in ACC the cement giant?
3 Deep groove
4 Manner or bearing
5 Embezzles or swindles
6 Ms Shetty of Bollywood
7 Tins or containers
8 Eat like a ___ : same as eat like a pig?
9 Teem or swarm
13 Narrow inlet, creek
15 Austrian river - "rum" anagram?
17 The branch of Indian Ocean on our west coast? (7,3)
18 Indonesia's earlier name
20 "Stars" broken as old time rulers?
22 Rub the ___ way : irritate?
24 Historical period
26 Fly-by-wire
29 National song
30 Cry convulsively?
31 Cowardly
32 ___ duty : tax on goods entering town?
33 Nickname used for the late Mr. Bevan
34 Caught breath, strained for air
37 Electronic Industries Assoc.
40 "Done" anagram for a prefix?
41 Urges a person on
43 Even, contracted by a poet ?
44 Long and slippery fish



CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

MKAOJMKA FMPMWYUMF B JIMYLT BXYSJ

OUBEM, BAF KJ HBO BXYSJ JKNM JYY

TODAY'S CLUE: Y EQUALS O.

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: The best way to become acquainted with a subject is to write a book about it.

NOW SHOWING

Movie	Theatre	Phone	Shows
KANNADA			
Theory	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
Katheyondu Shuruvagide	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
Statement	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
Vaasu Naan Pakka Commercial	Lakshmi	2443584	4 Shows
	Mahadeshwara	9900820093	4 Shows
Raambo 2	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
Nagarahavu	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
	Sangam	2520494	4 Shows
Kumari 21F	Woodlands	2422871	4 Shows
Tagaru	Shanthala	2427584	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Ghajinikanth	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
X-Videos	Olympia	2420737	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Goodachari	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
HINDI			
Fanney Khan	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	3 Shows
Mulk	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	1 Shows
Khubsurat Nokrani	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
RENOVATION WORKS UNDERWAY			
---	Lido	2420885	---
---	Sri Maruthi	9980351129	---
---	Skyline	2481170	---

DRC CINEMAS — PH: 4240422, 4241800

Chi Arjun La... Sow...??? (Te)	(S-1)	11.05 am
Dhadak (H)	(S-1)	1.45 pm
Brand Babu (Te)	(S-1)	4.30 pm
Fanney Khan (H)	(S-1)	7.15 pm, 9.50 pm
Vaasu Naan Pakka Commercial (K)	(S-2)	11.00 am
Kumari 21F (K)	(S-2)	1.45 pm
Katheyondu Shuruvagide (K)	(S-2)	4.35 pm
Karwaan (H)	(S-2)	7.30 pm; (S-4) 1.30 pm
Goodachari (Te)	(S-2)	9.50 pm
Statement (K)	(S-3)	11.00 am
Ghajinikanth (Ta)	(S-3)	1.35 pm
Mulk (H)	(S-3)	4.30 pm
Mamma Mia! Here We Go Again (E)	(S-3)	7.30 pm, 9.50 pm
Theory (K)	(S-4)	11.00 am
Mission: Impossible – Fallout (E)	(S-4)	4.00 pm, 7.00, 9.55 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — PH: 2533444 / 2533456

Mission: Impossible – Fallout (E)	(S-1)	9.55 am, 3.40 pm, 9.30
Karwaan (H)	(S-1)	6.50 pm; (S-2) 9.55 am
Fanney Khan (H)	(S-2)	9.30 pm; (S-3) 4.00 pm
Mulk (H)	(S-2)	3.35 pm; (S-3) 9.55 am
Brand Babu (Te)	(S-3)	12.55 pm
Goodachari (Te)	(S-3)	6.50 pm
Chi Arjun La... Sow...??? (Te)	(S-4)	9.50 pm
Ghajinikanth (Ta)	(S-3)	9.55 pm; (S-4) 3.45 pm
Theory (K)	(S-1)	1.05 pm
Statement (K)	(S-4)	12.55 pm
Kumari 21F (K)	(S-2)	12.35 pm
Katheyondu Shuruvagide (K)	(S-2)	6.35 pm; (S-4) 10.00 am
Vaasu Naan Pakka Commercial (K)	(S-4)	6.50 pm

PVR CINEMAS — www.pvrcinemas.com

Fanney Khan (H)	9.50 am, 3.55 pm, 10 pm
Karwaan (H)	10.20 am, 7.20 pm
Mulk (H)	3.40 pm, 9.50 pm
Vaasu Naan Pakka Commercial (K)	6.30 pm
Kumari 21F (K)	12.40 pm
Katheyondu Shuruvagide (K)	6.55 pm
Goodachari (Te)	12.50 pm
Nagarahavu (K)	2.45 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

TV TONIGHT

7:00 pm Yeh Teri Galiyaan	6:30 pm Sabse Smart Kaun?	5:00 pm Crime Patrol Dial 100
7:30 Kaleerein	7:30 Mariam Khan Reporting Live	6:00 Crime Patrol Dial 100
8:00 Zindagi Ki Mehek	8:00 Har Shaakh Pe Ullu Baithaa Hai	7:00 Mere Sai
8:30 Piyaa Albela	8:30 Kullfi Kumarr Bajewala	7:50 Vighnaharta Ganesh
9:00 Kumkum Bhagya	9:00 Krishna Chali London	8:30 Porus
9:30 Kundali Bhagya		9:20 Yeh Pyaar Nahi Toh Kya Hai
10:00 Ishq Subhan Allah		10:00 Dil Hi Toh Hai
5:00 pm The Island With Bear Grylls	6:00 pm Asia Cup 2016 Hls	6:00 pm Primal Survivor
6:00 What Went Down	6:30 VKV VS MP	7:00 Ultimate Airport D
6:30 Food Factory	6:40 TNPL 2018 Hls	8:00 Jungle Tales
7:00 Wild Frank	7:10 Tamil Nadu Premier League 2018 Live	9:00 Science Of Stupid
8:00 Man Vs. Wild	10:30 Follow The Blues	9:30 Primal Survivor
10:00 Man Vs. Wild	11:00 Knight Club 2017/18	10:00 Great Indian Railway Journeys
11:00 Naked And Afraid	11:30 Sindhustan 2018	11:00 Unpublished
6:30 pm Oggy And The Cockroaches	7:00 pm Gouri	7:00 pm Kaveri
7:00 Roll No. 21	7:30 Ennu Swantham Jani	7:30 Maaya
9:00 Teen Titans Go!	8:00 Maaya	8:00 Brahmastra
10:00 Ben 10	8:30 Shaneeswaran	8:30 Nandini
11:00 Dragon Ball Super	9:00 Nandhini	9:00 Jeeva Nadi
11:30 Teleshopping	9:30 Sree Bhadrakali	9:30 Manasa Sarovara
	10:00 Kadhakalkkappuram	10:00 Kanmani

MOVIES TONIGHT

4:37 pm **Baby's Day Out**	4:53 pm **The Conjuring**	4:59 pm **Flight**
6:35 **Spider-Man**	6:42 **Mission: Impossible**	7:08 **Skiptrace**
8:59 **Ghost Rider**	9:00 **Transformers**	9:01 **War Dogs**
11:15 **District B13**	11:36 **Sharktopus**	10:57 **Forrest Gump**
3:03 pm **Aashiqui 2**	6:28 pm **Sardaar Gabbar Singh**	2:30 pm **Awarapan**
5:58 **Terror**	8:55 **Rowdy Rajkumar 2**	6:20 **Teleshopping**
8:55 **Kaashmora 2**	11:49 **Rowdy Rajkumar**	6:50 **Billa No. 786**
11:48 **Aaj Ka Great Gambler**		10:40 **Gulaab Gang**
4:52 pm **Snakes On A Plane**	4:00 pm **Jananayaka**	6:09 pm **Khaidi No. 150**
6:44 **Hellboy II**	7:00 **Gopi Krishna**	9:00 **Jawaan**
8:59 **Apocalypto**	10:00 **Samsarada Guttu**	11:23 **Makkhi**
11:31 **Orphan**		

EVENTS TODAY (AUG.7)

Navakarnataka Publications Pvt. Ltd.: Book Expo, Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), JLB Road, **up to 8.30 pm.**

Gruha Shobhe: Living Style Expo, Maharaja's College Grounds, **up to 9 pm.**

V.P. Handloom and Handicrafts: Vastrabharana — Expo and sale of handlooms, sarees, dress materials, bedsheets and more — Jayamma Govindegowda Kalyanamantapa, Udayaravi Road, Kuvempunagar, **up to 9 pm.**

Fun World and Resorts (I) Pvt. Ltd: Mysuru Utsava, Expo featuring wildlife models, 3D paintings and replica of world's tallest building Burj Khalifa, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **up to 10 pm.**

Karnataka Vichara Vedike, Bhoomigiri Prakashana and Jnanavardhini Education Trust, Mysuru: 'Nadoja Prof. Dejagow - Ondu Nenapu' and felicitation to writer Dr. Shivabasappa Horeyala, writer Dr. Malali Vasantha Kumar inaugurates, KIKS Director Dr. Nilagiri Talwar presides, Maneyangala, Kalamandira, **5 pm.**

Sri Krishna Mitra Mandali, Sri Krishna Trust and Amruta Prekshacharya Samsthana: Ganasiri - Vedanta Lahari (Part-2), music programme by Vidu. Divya Giridhar of Bengaluru, Sri Krishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **6 pm to 8 pm.**

Arsha Vidya Kendra: Discourse on 'Bhagavad Gita - 18th Chapter' by Sri Chidrupanand Saraswati Swamiji, Sadvidya School, Narayana Shastri Road, **6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (AUG.8)

Arsha Vidya Kendra: Discourse on 'Upanishad' by Sri Chidrupanand Saraswati Swamiji, Eshwara Temple, V.V. Mohalla, **7 am;** Discourse on 'Bhagavad Gita - 18th Chapter' by Sri Chidrupanand Saraswati Swamiji, Sadvidya School, Narayana Shastri Road, **6.30 pm.**

Navakarnataka Publications Pvt. Ltd.: Pusthaka Mela (Book Expo), Institution of Engineers-India (IEI), JLB Road, **9.30 am to 8.30 pm.**

Gruha Shobhe: Living Style Expo, Maharaja's College Grounds, **11 am to 9 pm.**

National Institute of Personnel Management (NIPM), Mysore Chapter: National HR Quiz-2018 Chapter Level-1, St. Philomena's College, Bannimantap, **2 pm.**

Fun World and Resorts (I) Pvt. Ltd: Mysuru Utsava, Expo featuring wildlife models, 3D paintings and replica of world's tallest building Burj Khalifa, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **3 pm to 10 pm.**

Ministry of Culture, Government of India: Unique Musical feature 'Daasara Daasa' based on Kanakadasa's songs, Natyacharya Guru G.K. Ashwath Harithas inaugurates, Hanuru Channappa, Assistant Director, Kannada and Culture, chief guest, Vidwan Dr. R.S. Nandakumar, renowned Scholar-Musician, presides, Nagalakshmi, Subbanna and Kaveramma special invitees, Music by Sumana Srikanth and disciples; **5 pm;** Musical feature by Dr. R.S. Nandakumar, Sumukha Srivatsa, M.R. Sriharsha, M.S.Kousthubh, V.G. Nagaraj, Aishwarya with Instrumental support. Narration and portrayal by N. Dhananjaya and U.S. Ramanna, Sri Vasudevacharya Bhavan, JLB Road, **6.15 pm.**

Railway Pensioners' Welfare Association, Mysuru: Monthly Meeting, Association President G. Arumugam presides, General Secretary C.G. Krishna speaks, A. Manuel Hall, Sheshadri Iyer Road, **10.30 am;** Dr. Mohan's Diabetic Specialist Centre will conduct free medical check-up to the Pensioners and their family members, **11.30 am.**

Sri Krishna Mitra Mandali, Sri Krishna Trust and Amruta Prekshacharya Samsthana: Ganasiri - Vedanta Lahari (Part-2), music programme by Vid. Shankar Shanbhag of Bengaluru, Sri Krishnadhama, Saraswathipuram, **6 pm to 8 pm.**

Sandal Urus Shariff of Hazarath Tipu Sultan Shaheed on Aug.11

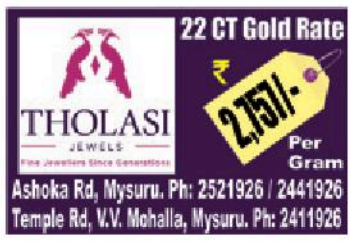
Mysuru, Aug.7 (KS)- The 226th Annual Sandal Urus Shariff celebrations of Hazarath Tipu Sultan Shaheed, organised by Afroz Pasha, will be held on Aug.11 at 11.45 am at Meelad Bagh on Ashoka Road in city.

The celebrations will be held under the guidance of Sir Khazi of Mysuru Hazarath Moulana Mohammed Usman Shariff in the presence of Bishop Most Rev. Dr. K.A. William, Prof. Bhashyam Swamiji of Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple, Haj Minister B.Z. Zameer Ahmed and MLA Tanveer Sait.

Tribute and homage will be followed by Fatha Khani and Duwa. Sandal procession accompanied by Fukras, Darvesh, Sufizum and Duff will pass through Ashoka Road, St. Philomena's Church Circle via Fountain Circle to reach Bada Makan in Tipu Circle from where the procession will proceed to Masjid Allaha, and join the Sandal Urus procession to Tipu Tomb in Srirangapatna.

MLC Rizwan Arshad, S. Mukram, Advocate, Naseeruddin Babu, S.J. Lakshmegowda, Talkad Chikkarange Gowda, Ilyas Baig, Mysuru District Wakf Board Advisory Committee Chairman Arif Mekri, Mandya District Hazarath Tipu Sultan Welfare organisation office-bearers, Jameel Ahmed Ashrafi, Syed Haneef, Sabil Shariff, Abdul Azeez, Corporator Suhail Baig, Harish Gowda, City Congress President R. Murthy, Mirza Jamsheed Baig Ashrafi and others will participate in the programme.

For details, contact Afroz Pasha on Mob: 93798-56537, according to a press release.



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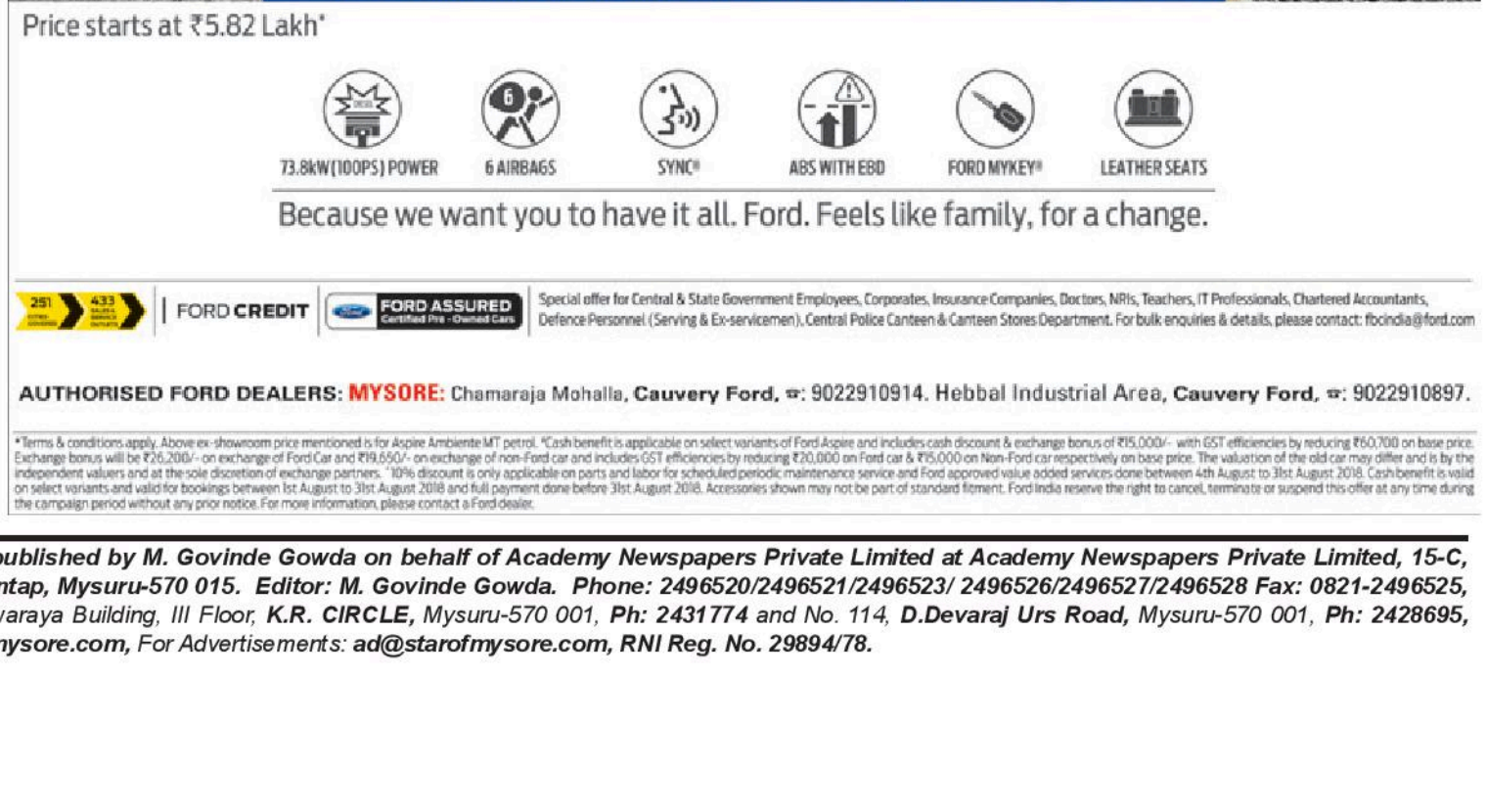
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